

REMARKS

The last Office Action has been carefully considered.

It is noted that claim 12 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over the patent to Yoshida.

Claims 1, 6, 7, and 11 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over the patent to Yoshida in view of the patent to Toyama.

At the same time, claim 10 was not rejected over the art.

With the present Amendment applicants have canceled the rejected claims and retained claim 10 as it was.

It is believed that claim 10 should be considered as being in allowable condition.

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application is most respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner require or consider it advisable that the specification, claims and/or drawings be further amended or corrected in formal respects in order to place this case in condition for final allowance, then it is respectfully requested that such amendments or corrections be carried out by Examiner's Amendment, and the case be passed to issue. Alternatively, should the Examiner feel that a personal discussion might be helpful in advancing this case to allowance, he is invited to telephone the undersigned (at 631-549-4700).

Respectfully submitted,



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